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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
YOSHIMI UDA, ET AL.)	Examiner: Unassigned
Application No.: 10/637,624)	Group Art Unit: 1732
Filed: August 11, 2003)	
For: SUBSTRATE HAVING FINE)	
LINE, ELECTRON SOURCE)	
AND IMAGE DISPLAY)	
APPARATUS)	March 12, 2004

Commissioner for Patents
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed below. A copy of the document is enclosed. A copy of the document was also submitted with the Letter filed February 26, 2004.

Office Action dated January 28, 2004, in Korea 2001-79788

The Korean Office Action issued during prosecution of a Korean patent application corresponding to the subject application. The Japanese document listed in the Korean Office Action (Japan 8-34110) was already cited in the Information Disclosure Statement dated August 8, 2003.

Applicants submit that the Korean Office Action can be summarized as follows:

1. The claims fail to define concretely a lower limit of a numerical limitation, and a heating condition. Accordingly, the descriptions of the claims are defective.
2. Japanese Patent Application Laid-Open Gazette 8-34110 discloses stainless wires with diameters 25 μ m for 230 mesh, 20 μ m for 300 mesh and 16 μ m for 350 mesh, a device electrode interval as 2 μ m, a device electrode interval length as 200 μ m, and device electrode as 200 μ m. Accordingly, the present invention can be readily deduced from the Japanese Patent Application Laid-Open Gazette 8-34110.

FORMAL MATTERS

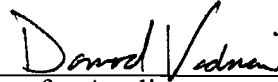
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b), since a first Office Action on the merits of the subject application has not yet been issued, neither a statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e) nor payment of a fee is believed to be required for consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee which may be required in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed for that purpose.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

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